

Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Northampton County, Pennsylvania

Trend of Fatalities, 2001-2005

		2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Fatality Counts	Total Fatalities	27	27	20	37	32
	Alcohol-Related	12	8	6	12	13
	Single Vehicle	15	12	11	11	17
	Non-Junction	17	20	18	25	20
	Intersection	9	7	1	10	11
	Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0	0
	Speeding Involved	11	7	8	15	11
	Pedestrians	3	2	2	4	3
	Pedalcyclists	0	0	0	0	0
	Large Truck Involved	9	8	6	1	6
	Roadway Departure	18	17	16	20	23
	Passenger Car Occupants	8	19	10	18	15
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	5	2	7	10	8
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	6	4	1	0	0
	Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	19	25	18	28	23
	Motorcycle Riders	5	0	0	5	6

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+) By Restraint Use, 2005

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2005	23	9	10	4

Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+) By Helmet Use, 2005

Fatalities	Total	Helmeted	Unhelmeted	Unknown
2005	6	3	3	0



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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2005

	2005				
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State	
Total Fatalities	32	14	11.12	58	
Alcohol-Related	13	19	4.52	53	
Single Vehicle	17	18	5.91	56	
Non-Junction	20	20	6.95	59	
Intersection	11	10	3.82	18	
Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0	
Speeding Involved	11	26	3.82	59	
Pedestrians	3	16	1.04	35	
Pedalcyclists	0	0	0	0	
Large Truck Involved	6	12	2.09	29	
Roadway Departure	23	14	7.99	55	
Passenger Car Occupants	15	17	5.21	50	
Light Truck/Van Occupants	8	13	2.78	44	
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	0	0	0	0	
Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	23	17	7.99	56	
Motorcycle Riders	6	13	2.09	32	

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.